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TO HIS HONOUR
THE HONOURABLE HEDARD J. ROBICHAUD, P.C., B.D., D.C.
Lieutenant-Governor of the Province of New Brunswick

May it please Your Honour:

I have the honour to submit herewith The Annual Report of The Fire Marshal, Province of New Brunswick, for the calendar year ended December 31, 1974.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient servant,
RODMAN E. LOGAN, Q.C.
Minister of Labour

HONOURABLE RODMAN E. LOGAN, Q.C.

Minister of Labour

Province of New Brunswick

Sir:

Pursuant to Section 5 Fire Prevention Act, R.S.N.B. Chapter F-13, 1973, I have the honour to submit the annual report of the Fire Marshal for the year ending December 31, 1974.

The recorded fire losses in New Brunswick compiled from reports received from adjusters up to February 15, 1975 are placed at $15,387,764, total number of fires 1,129 as compared with a loss of $9,591,734 and 1,107 fires in 1973, an increase of $5,796,030 in monetary loss, an increase of 22 in number of fires and an increase of $4,525,854 in the insurance loss and an increase of $1,270,176 in uninsured loss.

The breakdown of losses by cities, towns, villages and rural areas (counties) is clearly shown in Table 1, the Per Capita Loss, Provincial, City, Town and Rural areas in Table No. 6.

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The report also contains summary of other work carried out by the Fire Marshal's staff during the year broken down into divisions as near as it is possible to do so, however, all phases of our work are still increasing with many added duties and responsibilities. During the year it was necessary to establish priorities, some programs had to be relegated to a position of lesser importance in order to find time for new programs.

The monetary fire loss for this year is the highest in the history of the province. There are several contributing factors to the large increase and it is the opinion that inflation can be classed as the highest contributor, however, we did experience some large losses in mercantile, manufacturing and residential fires.

The loss of life caused by fire greatly increased over the previous year. In 1973 fatalities totaled 18, in 1974 44. Only six of these fatalities can be attributed to mishandling of flammable liquids, the remainder with the exception of two occurred in homes. During the year we experienced six multiple fire deaths, five in a service station fire in Saint John, two in an apartment fire in Saint John, four in a mobile home fire in Moncton, an entire family of six on the Burnt Church Reservation, three in an apartment fire in Grand Bay and two in a single family residence at Long's Creek.

As in the past particular attention was given Fire Prevention Education in all its various phases. A total of 357 fire prevention and firemen's training films were distributed from the film library. During Fire Prevention Week we made use of all daily and weekly Provincial newspapers to bring fire prevention messages to the people of the Province. Radio and television assisted greatly during Fire Prevention Week and again during the Festive Season to bring messages of caution to its listeners.

Again in 1974 no serious fires occurred in places of public assembly, institutional buildings or places of public sleeping accommodations. All buildings in the above mentioned classifications received and will continue to receive special attention. A study of the fire loss report will indicate there is nothing new in the cause of fires and as usual most fires occur in homes and most deaths from fires, also occur in homes. Legislation cannot prevent these accidents. Education will go a long way in reducing these unnecessary losses of life.

During the year two additional employees were added to the Fire Marshal's staff. One Plans Survey Technician and one Deputy Fire Marshal at the Fredericton sub-office, both are making an effective contribution to the overall operation. We are now able to give a better service to building architects and persons interested in new construction and renovations to existing properties. Our Bathurst office which had been vacant from July 1, 1973, was occupied by Deputy Fire Marshall J. Gilbert Losier in June 1974. Deputy Fire Marshall L.F.M. Strong of our Moncton office retired effective October 31, 1974 and was replaced by Deputy Fire Marshall Maurice Belliveau January 1, 1975.

During the year 1974 fire prevention activities have been carried out by several of our municipalities.

In the City of Saint John the Fire Prevention and Fire Investigation Bureau was enlarged and are assisting the office greatly in all phases of our work. In all cities considerable work is being done in the field of prevention and we are continuing to encourage our smaller municipalities to start their own fire prevention programs. Considerable interest has been generated and we expect before too long to see our efforts bear fruits. We are convinced that the job is far too great to be successfully carried out by the resources availabel to the Fire Marshal's Office, hence our reason for trying to harness the potential force which exists in our municipal fire services.

In conclusion, Sir, I wish to express appreciation of the support and cooperation received from all government departments, insurance companies, insurance adjusters, Fire Crime Prevention Bureau, the Insurance Advisory Organizaiton, New Brunswick Branch, the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, who contribute so much to our work, the Municipal Police Forces, who assisted us greatly, all Administrators of our hospitals, nursing homes and homes for the aged, school boards and all others with whom we have had the pleasure to associate. The cooperative relations existing between this department, Fire Chiefs and members of their fire departments continued throughout the year and I trust will continue in the future.

To my loyal staff I extend my sincere thanks for a job well done. The year has been a busy one and we shall continue to strive to make the year ahead a better one in all facets of our work.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your Obedient Servant,
H. J. FOURNIER
Fire Marshal

Fredericton, N.B.
March 6, 1975

STATEMENT I

Showing the NUMBER OF FIRES in the Province of New Brunswick, with the ESTIMATED AMOUNTS OF LOSSES SUFFERED AND AMOUNTS COVERED BY INSURANCE for Year 1974

COUNTY	No. of Fires	$ Loss	Insurance $ Loss	Uninsured $ Loss
ALBERT COUNTY	1	$ 16,483	$ 13,116	3,367
Alma	2	587	587	
Hilsborough				
Riverside – Albert	2	35,000	35,000	
Riverview	12	46,333	40,783	5,550
CARLETON COUNTY	37	414,396	275,704	138,692
Bath	4	94,071	75,327	18,744
Bristol	4	41,780	41,730	50
Centreville	5	36,785	29,068	7,717
Florenceivlle	2	11,157	4,500	6,657
Hartland	5	47,062	19,062	28,000
Woodstock	11	84,333	68,241	16,092
CHARLOTTE COUNTY	14	420,493	284,374	136,119
Black's Harbour				
Grand Harbour	1	8,100	8,100	
Seal Cove	1	306	306	
North Head				
St. Andrews	1	601,154	601.154	
St. George				
St. Stephen – Milltown	9	237,031	236,031	1,000
GLOUCESTER COUNTY	59	1,128,603	838,744	289,859
Bathurst	13	258,877	251,877	7,000
Belledune				
Beresford	3	31,023	31,023	
Bertrand	1	39,363	24,000	15,363
Caraquet	4	48,417	46,917	1,500
Grand Anse				
Lameque	3	46,477	41,178	5,299
Lower Caraquet	1	850	850	
Nigadoo				
Pacquetville	3	20,530	15,530	5,000
Petit Rocher	1	22,364	22,364	
Pointe Verte	2	6,696	6,500	196
Shippegan	5	55,511	49,391	6,120
Tracadie	2	4,979	4,979	
KENT COUNTY	26	176,929	168,319	8,610
Buctouche	4	7,204	6,704	500
Rexton	1	447	447	
Richibucto	5	53,275	41,374	11,901
St. Antoine				
St. Louis-de-Kent	2	504,387	184,387	320,000
KINGS COUNTY	27	296,748	239,945	56,803
East Riverside – Kinghurst	1	1,062	1,062	
Fair Vale	1	4,500	4,500	
Gondola Point				
Grand Bay	2	17,123	17,123	
Hampton	1	45	45	
Norton	2	4,827	4,827	
Quispamsis	2	13,216	13,216	
Renforth				
Rothesay	4	27,909	23,909	4,000
Sussex	15	111,808	108.495	3.313
Sussex Corner				
Westifield	1	50	50	

STATEMENT I – Continued

Showing the NUMBER OF FIRES in the Province of New Brunswick, with the ESTIMATED AMOUNTS OF LOSSES SUFFERED AND AMOUNTS COVERED BY INSURANCE for Year 1974

COUNTY	No. of Fires	$ Loss	Insurance $ Loss	Uninsured $ Loss
MADAWASKA COUNTY	36	132,833	84,226	48,607
Baker Brook	3	17,586	13,536	4,050
Baker Lake	1	11,205	4,009	7,205
Clair	2	1,183	1,133	50
Edmundston	42	348,058	332,631	15,427
Riviere Verte				
Ste. Anne-de-Madawaska	4	51,261	51,261	
St. Andre				
St. Basile	8	4,117	4,017	100
St. Francois	1	75	75	
St. Hilaire	2	8,174	8,174	
St. Jacques	2	15,330	13,394	1,936
St. Leonard	2	25,954	25,954	
NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY	43	184,834	141,221	43,613
Blackville	3	580	580	
Chatham	27	150,404	120,558	29,846
Doaktown	2	326	326	
Douglastown	1	718	718	
Loggieville	6	26,650	19,010	7,640
Nelson-Miramichi	5	285,444	84,993	200,451
Newcastle	6	500,391	478,841	21,550
Neguac	2	48,000	26,000	22,000
Rogersville	1	150	100	50
QUEENS COUNTY	10	41,903	30,403	11,500
Cambridge-Narrows	4	29,400	29,400	
Chipman	1	10,000	7,000	3,000
Gagetown				
RESTIGOUCHE COUNTY	44	640,888	457,249	183,639
Atholville	8	34,612	27,146	7,466
Campbellton	28	346,681	293,346	53,335
Charlo	1	19,000	19,000	
Dalhousie	8	76,323	76,323	
Eel River Crossing				
Jacquet River				
Kedgwick	12	137,021	116,254	20,767
St. Quentin	14	76,545	71,996	4,549
Tide Head	5	7,931	7,931	
SUNBURY COUNTY	24	86,968	72,587	14,381
Fredericton Junction	9	197,429	187,148	10,281
Minto	4	73,736	45,069	28,667
Oromocto				
Tracy				
SAINT JOHN COUNTY	2	12,991	12,991	
Saint John City	131	2,214,825	2,120,063	94,762
St. Martins				
VICTORIA COUNTY	32	466,696	436,891	29,805
Grand Falls	20	142,618	142,568	50
Aroostock				
Drummond	2	72,174	72,174	
Perth-Andover				
Plaster Rock	2	34,063	9,063	25,000

STATEMENT I – Continued

Showing the NUMBER OF FIRES in the Province of New Brunswick, with the ESTIMATED AMOUNTS OF LOSSES SUFFERED AND AMOUNTS COVERED BY INSURANCE for Year 1974

COUNTY	No. of Fires	$ Loss	Insurance $ Loss	Uninsured $ Loss
WESTMORLAND COUNTY	32	187,032	169,564	17,468
Cape Pele				
Dieppe	3	961	961	
Dorchester				
Moncton	62	791,614	718,660	72,954
Petitcodiac	2	18,955	18,955	
Port Elgin				
Sackville	3	5,598	5,598	
St. Joseph				
Salisbury	1	2,121	2,121	
Shediac	8	5,319	5,269	50
YORK COUNTY	52	308,838	224,483	84,355
Canterbury	1	48	48	
Fredericton	91	2,520,054	2,344,701	175,353
Harvey	3	1,538	1,538	
McAdam				
Meductic				
Nackawic	4	24,681	16,100	8,581
Millville	3	7,482	5,482	2,000
Stanley	2	155	155	
TOTALS	1,129	15,387,764	13,039,824	2,347,940

STATEMENT II

ANALYSIS OF CAUSES OF FIRES for Year 1974

Class No.	CAUSE	No. of Fires	Amount of $ Loss	Insurance $ Loss	Uninsured $ Loss
10.	**HEATING EQUIPMENT**				
11.	Central Heating Unit, Furnace Boiler, Stoker	84	741,363	636,385	104,978
12.	Service Water Heater	1	35,437	20,000	15,437
13.	Space Heater: Stationary Wall Heater, Unit Heater, Room Heater, Heating Stove, Baseboard Heater.	27	129,180	107,003	22,177
14.	Space Heater: Portable Room Heater, Salamander	11	51,877	36,687	15,190
15.	Fireplace	15	87,090	56,840	30,250
16.	Chimney, Gas Vent Includes Masonry, factory built, metal	20	124,461	102,922	21,539
17.	Flue pipe, Vent connector	15	71,754	42,469	29,285
18.	Steam, Hot Water Pipe	1	69,335	69,335	
19.	Heating Equipment Unknown				
20.	**COOKING EQUIPMENT**				
21.	Stove, Range	41	98,506	73,206	25,300
22.	Oven, includes Rotisserie	1	30	30	
23.	Food Warming Appliance: Portable, includes: coffee urn, steam table, warming drawer, warming table, electric kettle	8	1,985	1,985	
24.	Deep Fat Fryer and Grease	80	189,842	169,022	20,820
25.	Cooking Unit: Portable includes hot plate, camp stove, toaster, waffle Iron, warming tray	8	42,203	31,153	11,050
26.	Open Fired Broiler, Fixed Type				
27.	Open Fired Broiler Portable (Barbecue).	2	2,453	2,453	
29.	Cooking Equipment Unknown	2	597	597	
30.	**SMOKER'S MATERIAL**				
31.	Cigarette, includes match and lighter used in conjunction with	165	397,177	360,727	36,450
32.	Pipe				
33.	Cigar				
39.	Smoker's Material Unknown				
40.	**ELECTRICAL DISTRIBUTION EQUIP.**				
41.	Electrical Wiring, Cable, Permanent, Power Line, Junction Box	153	2,963,450	2,200,479	762,971
42.	Transformer				
43.	Switchgear (Power)				
44.	Panelboard, Switchboard Includes Fuse, Circuit Breaker	4	5,141	5,141	
45.	Switch, Outlet, Socket, Receptacle				
46.	Electric Wiring, Cable: Temporary, Extension Cord, Appliance Cord.	3	24,684	24,684	
47.	Signal, Telephone Equipment				
48.	Battery, Rectifier Charger, Rotary Convertor	1	15,000	15,000	
49.	Electrical Equipment Unknown				
50.	**ELECTRICAL APPLIANCES & EQUIP.**				
51.	Television, Radio, includes tape recorder, phonograph, picture receiving or reproduction equipment	14	34,273	25,516	8,757
52.	Motor: 1HP or over	3	29,734	24,734	5,000
53.	Motor: Under 1 HP	2	9,951	9,341	610
54.	Electronic Equipment Communication..				
55.	Electronic Equipment Date Processing ..				
56.	Electric Blanket, Heating Pad	2	209	159	50
57.	Incadescent, Lamp, Lantern, Spotlight, Flashlight	14	67,858	67,808	50
58.	Fluorescent Lamp				
59.	Electronic Appliances Unknown	1	150	150	

STATEMENT II – Continued

ANALYSIS OF CAUSES OF FIRES for Year 1974

Class No.	CAUSE	No. of Fires	Amount of $ Loss	Insurance $ Loss	Uninsured $ Loss
60.	**OTHER APPLIANCES & EQUIPMENT.**				
61.	Dryer	6	23,890	23,890	
62.	Air Conditioning and Refrigeration Equipment				
63.	Pressing Iron	1	116,380	116,380	
64.	Internal Combustion Engine				
65.	Tar Pot, Kettle	2	382	382	
66.	Incinerator				
67.	Air Conditioning Unit	1	6,714	6,714	
68.	Refrigeration Unit				
69.	Other Appliances Unknown				
70.	**"OPEN" FLAMES**				
71.	Match	19	70,899	62,749	8,150
72.	Lighter				
73.	Lamp	2	616	616	
74.	Candle, Taper	10	3,015	2,965	50
75.	Cutting Torch	1	45,667	17,000	28,667
76.	Welding Equipment	8	205,539	200,539	5,000
77.	Torch: Other than Cutting	7	46,251	39,951	6,300
78.	Hot Ashes, embers	5	9,337	9,337	
79.	"Open" Flames Unknown				
80.	**EXPOSURE**				
81.	Structure: Attached		80,349	56,821	23,528
82.	Structure: Detached	3	2,044,405	1,951,766	92,639
83.	Lumber Yard				
84.	Outside Storage Container, Tank	2	3,319	3,319	
85.	Open Fire				
86.	Forest	1	600	600	
87.	Grass, Brush	10	51,362	51,312	50
89.	Exposure Unknown	2	655	655	
90.	**MISCELLANEOUS**				
91.	Heat Treatment Equipment				
92.	Industrial Oven (Klin)				
93.	Printing Equipment, Photographic Equipment				
94.	Explosive				
95.	Fireworks				
96.	Bearing, Belting, Conveyor, Brake	1	506	506	
97.	Machinery, Equipment and Industrial	3	58,273	25,073	33,200
98.	Chemical Reaction	13	711,022	676,274	34,748
99.	Miscellaneous Unknown	220	5,631,960	4,839,302	792,658
100.	**ARSON**				
101.	Arson	25	269,664	222,590	47,074
102.	Mischief Not Amounting to Arson	8	171,041	148,040	23,001
103.	Vandals	38	226,521	178,709	47,812
110.	Lightning				
111.	Buildings Unrodded	38	91,124	77,025	14,099
112.	Buildings Rodded	1	55	55	
120.	**PETROLEUM PRODUCTS**				
121.	Cleaning Purposes	3	124,911	99,911	25,000
122.	Gas Installations and Piping	9	117,376	87,826	29,550
123.	Gases in Storage or in Transit				
124.	Improper Handling and Storage	4	58,343	33,343	25,000
125.	Lighting Fires With				
126.	Paint and Varnish (Overheated)	2	19,202	19,202	
129.	Petroleum Products Unknown	6	4,646	3,146	1,500
	TOTALS	1,129	15,387,764	13,039,824	2,347,940

STATEMENT III

CLASSIFICATION OF PROPERTIES DAMAGED BY FIRE for Year 1974

Class No.	CLASS OF PROPERTY	No. of Fires	Amount of $ Loss	Insurance $ Loss	Uninsured $ Loss
100.	**ASSEMBLY**				
110.	**THEATRE, STUDIO, AUDITORIUM**				
111.	Legitimate Theatre				
112.	Motion Picture Theatre				
113.	Drive-In Motion Theatre				
114.	Auditorium				
115.	Radio, T.V. Studio				
116.	Motion Picture Studio				
119.	Theatre, Studio Unknown				
120.	**AMUSEMENT, RECREATION PLACE**				
121.	Bowling Alley				
122.	Billiard Centre, Pool Hall				
123.	Ice Rink	2	13,205	6,000	7,205
124.	Amusement Centre	3	95,702	95,702	
125.	Swimming Bath				
126.	Ballroom, Dance Hall, Community Hall	1	125	125	
127.	Exhibition Hall, Armory				
128.	Arena, Stadium				
129.	Recreation Place Unknown				
130.	**SCHOOL, COLLEGE, UNIVERSITY**				
131.	Nursery School, Kindergarten				
132.	Elementary School	1	19,893		19,893
133.	Junior High, Intermediate	2	260,452	59,040	201,412
134.	Senior High School	1	110,000	110,000	
135.	Industrial Trade School				
136.	Business, Commercial School				
137.	Rehabilitation School				
138.	College, University				
139.	School, College, Unknown				
140.	**CHURCH, COURT ROOM, FUNERAL PARLOUR**				
141.	Church, Chapel	9	803,054	420,554	382,500
142.	Religious Education Facility				
143.	Church Hall	1	50,674	40,000	10,674
144.	Funeral Parlour				
145.	Court Room				
146.	Legislative Hall				
149.	Church, Courtroom Unknown				
150.	**SOCIAL, SPORT CLUB**				
151.	City Club, Lodge	4	131,668	88,588	43,080
152.	Country Club	5	81,095	66,255	14,840
153.	Yacht Club, Boat Club				
159.	Social Club Unknown		28,000	28,000	
160.	**LIBRARY, MUSEUM**				
161.	Library				
162.	Museum				
163.	Art Gallery				
164.	Historic Building				
165.	Monument, Memorial Building				
169.	Library, Unknown				
170.	**EATING ESTABLISHMENT**				
171.	Restaurant	9	646,128	643,269	2,859
172.	Night Club, Beverage Room	1	2,190	2,190	
173.	Tavern	1	2,933	2,933	
174.	Lunchroom, Drive-In				
179.	Eating Establishment Unknown				

STATEMENT III – Continued

CLASSIFICATION OF PROPERTIES DAMAGED BY FIRE for Year 1974

Class No.	CLASS OF PROPERTY	No. of Fires	Amount of $ Loss	Insurance $ Loss	Uninsured $ Loss
180.	**PASSENGER TERMINAL STATION**				
181.	Airport Passenger Terminal				
182.	Heliport, Helistop				
183.	Bus Terminal				
184.	Railway Station				
185.	Subway Station				
186.	Elevated Station				
187.	Marine Passenger Terminal				
189.	Passenger Terminal Unknown				
190.	**MISCELLANEOUS**				
199.	Miscellaneous Unknown				
200.	**INSTITUTIONAL**				
210.	**PRISON, JAIL, REFORMATORY**				
211.	Prison, Penitentiary (Men)				
212.	Prison, Penitentiary (Women)				
213.	Jail				
214.	Reformatory, Juvenile				
215.	Adult Detention Camp				
216.	Vocational Rehabilitation Centre				
217.	Police Station				
219.	Prison, Jail Unknown				
220.	**HOME FOR AGED**				
221.	Home for Aged with Nurses	4	5,390	5,390	
222.	Home for Aged without Nurses				
229.	Home for Aged Unknown				
230.	**CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL**				
231.	Children's Home, Orphanage				
232.	Child-Care Hospital				
233.	Children's Day Centre				
239.	Children's Hospital Unknown				
240.	**HOSPITAL, SANATORIUM, CLINIC**				
241.	Hospital		20,000	20,000	
242.	Sanatorium, Nursing or Convalescent Home				
243.	Institution for Blind, Deaf or Dumb				
244.	Mental Hospital				
245.	Clinic				
249.	Hospital Unknown				
290.	**MISCELLANEOUS**				
299.	Miscellaneous Unknown				
300.	**RESIDENTIAL**				
310.	One – Two Family Residence				
311.	Dwelling – Year Round Use	691	3,444,398	2,738,005	706,393
312.	Dwelling, Seasonal Use in Season – Summer Cottage	38	285,960	195,604	90,356
313.	Dwelling, Seasonal Use – Off Season	2	4,750	4,500	250
314.	Dwelling Year-Round Use – 2 Family	15	77,257	65,757	11,500
315.	Dwelling, Season Use – In Season – 2 Family				
316.	Dwelling, Seasonal Use – Off Season – 2 Family				
320.	**APARTMENT, TENEMENT, FLAT**				
321.	1 – 2 Units with Business	12	193,659	161,981	31,678
323.	3 – 20 Units with Business	3	196,867	184,377	12,490
324.	3 – 20 Unints without Business	68	510,977	381,028	29,949
325.	Over 20 Units with or without Business	2	1,901	1,901	
329.	Apartments Unknown				

STATEMENT III – Continued
CLASSIFICATION OF PROPERTIES DAMAGED BY FIRE for Year 1974

Class No.	CLASS OF PROPERTY	No. of Fires	Amount of $ Loss	Insurance $ Loss	Uninsured $ Loss
330.	**ROOMING, BOARDING, LODGING HOUSE**				
331.	4 – 8 Roomers or Boarders	2	1,067	1,067	
332.	9 – 15 Roomers or Boarders	2	34,200	34,200	
339.	Rooming, Boarding House Unknown				
340.	**HOTEL, INN, LODGE**				
341.	Year-Round Use	5	27,678	27,678	
342.	Seasonal Use – In Season	2	5,100	5,100	
343.	Seasonal Use – Off Season				
344.	Transient Dormitory Type				
349.	Hotel, Inn Unknown				
350.	**MOTOR HOTEL, MOTEL**				
351.	Fewer than 3 Units Tourist Cabin	1	16,363	16,363	
352.	3 – 20 Units	9	135,306	106,906	28,400
353.	Over 20 Units	3	3,528	3,528	
359.	Motel Hotel Unknown				
360.	**DORMITORY**				
361.	School College Dormitory				
362.	Social Club				
363.	Nurse's Residence				
364.	Military Barrack				
365.	Convent, Monastery				
366.	Bunkhouse and Worker's Barrack				
368.	Fire Hall, Fire Station				
369.	Dormitory, Unknown				
370.	**MOBILE HOME, TRAILER**				
371.	Mobile Home (1 – 2 Family Unit)	66	617,487	536,182	81,305
372.	Travel Trailer				
373.	Camping Trailer				
374.	Motor Home				
375.	Mobile Camp	1	7,500	7,500	
376.	Houseboat				
379.	Mobile Home, Trailer Unknown				
400. 410.	**BUSINESS AND PERSONAL SERVICE OFFICE**				
411.	General Business Office	5	701,826	595,412	106,414
412.	Civic, Federal or Provincial Government Office				
413.	Bank				
414.	Medical, Health Research				
415.	Engineering, Architectural				
416.	Mailing, Photocopy Office				
417.	Post Office				
418.	Document Centre				
419.	Office Unknown				
420.	**PERSONAL SERVICE**				
421.	Barber or Hairdressing		10,812	6,200	4,612
422.	Beauty Parlour	1	127	127	
429.	Business Unknown				
430.	**ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT**				
431.	Electronic Data Processing				
432.	Electronic Data Record Storage				
439.	Electronic Equipment Unknown				
490.	**MISCELLANEOUS**				
499.	Miscellaneous Unknown				

STATEMENT III – Continued
CLASSIFICATION OF PROPERTIES DAMAGED BY FIRE for Year 1974

Class No.	CLASS OF PROPERTY	No. of Fires	Amount of $ Loss	Insurance $ Loss	Uninsured $ Loss
500.	**MERCANTILE**				
510.	**FOOD, BEVERAGE SALE**				
511.	Supermarket	1	102,000	102,000	
512.	Market, Grocery Store	7	148,240	99,240	49,000
513.	Specialty Food Store				
514.	Liquor Beverage Store				
515.	Creamery, Dairy Store				
516.	Delicatessen				
519.	Food, Beverage Unknown				
520.	**TEXTILE, WEARING APPAREL**				
521.	Clothing Store	2	164,978	139,978	25,000
522.	Clothing, Accessories, Shoes		47,803	47,803	
523.	Shoe Repair Shop				
524.	Tailor, Dressmaking Shop				
525.	Fur Store		10,000	7,000	3,000
526.	Dry Goods Store	1	13,034	13,034	
529.	Textile Wearing Apparel Unknown				
530.	**FURNITURE, APPLIANCE, HARDWARE**				
531.	Furniture Store	2	136,631	115,631	21,000
532.	Appliance Store				
533.	Hardware Store	1	17,411	17,411	
534.	Music Store	1	30,725	30,675	50
535.	Wallpaper, Paint Store		64,288	64,288	
536.	Rug, Floor Covering Store				
539.	Furniture, etc., Stores Unknown				
540.	**BOOKS, NEWSPAPERS, DRUG SALES**				
541.	Book, Stationery Store				
542.	Newsstand, Tobacco Shop				
543.	Drug Store	1	117,591	117,591	
544.	Jewelry Store				
545.	Gift Shop				
546.	Leather Goods Shop				
547.	Florist Shop				
548.	Optical Goods Sales				
549.	Books, Newspapers Unknown				
550.	**RECREATION HOBBY SUPPLIES**				
551.	Hobby, Toy Shop				
552.	Sporting Goods Sales	1	16,371	16,371	
553.	Photographic Supply Sales				
554.	Garden Supply Store				
555.	Retail Lumber Sales				
556.	Pet Store, Animal Hospital				
557.	Art Supply Sales				
558.	Firework Sales				
559.	Recreation, Hobby Unknown				
560.	**REPAIR SHOP, LAUNDRY, DRY CLEANER**				
561.	Furniture Repair				
562.	Appliance Repair Shop	1	21,063	21,063	
563.	Laundry, Self-Service	2	54,699	51,609	3,000
565.	Laundry, Dry Cleaner	3	23,595	13,595	10,000
566.	Home Maintenance Service				
567.	Maintenance Shop, General	1	20,000	8,000	12,000
569.	Repair Shop, etc. Unknown				
570.	**MOTOR VEHICLES, BOATS**				
571.	Service Station, Public	7	110,745	82,879	27,866
572.	Service Station, Private	2	30,383	28,383	2,000
573.	Motor Vehicle Repairs, Car Wash	2	66,743	34,043	32,700
574.	Motor Vehicle and Trailer Sales		17,278	17,278	
575.	Motor Vehicle Accessory Sales	3	61,089	61,089	
576.	Boat Sales				

STATEMENT III – Continued
CLASSIFICATION OF PROPERTIES DAMAGED BY FIRE for Year 1974

Class No.	CLASS OF PROPERTY	No. of Fires	Amount of $ Loss	Insurance $ Loss	Uninsured $ Loss
577.	Marine Service Station				
578.	Car Wash Facility				
579.	Motor Vehicles Unknown				
580.	**DEPARTMENT, VARIETY STORE**				
581.	Department Store		615,000	615,000	
582.	Variety Store – Small	2	19,273	17,520	1,753
583.	Variety Store – Large				
584.	Mail Order Store				
590.	**MISCELLANEOUS**				
591.	Professional Supply Sales				
592.	Trade Supply Sales				
593.	Builders Supply Sales				
594.	Restaurant Supplies and Service				
599.	Miscellaneous Unknown				
600.	**INDUSTRIAL MANUFACTURING PROPERTIES**				
610.	**CHEMICALS, PETROLEUM, PAINTS, PLASTICS**				
611.	Basic Industrial Chemicals				
612.	Hazardous Chemicals				
613.	Plastic				
614.	Plastic Products				
615.	Paints, Varnishes, Wax				
616.	Drugs, Cosmetics				
617.	Petroleum Refineries				
618.	Asphalt, Coal Products	1	482	482	
619.	Chemicals Paints, Unknown				
620.	**WOOD, FURNITURE, PAPER, PRINTING**				
621.	Sawmill, Planing Mill	7	260,418	212,767	47,651
622.	Wood Cane Container, Small Wares				
623.	Wood Products, Furniture	1	7,568	7,568	
624.	Upholstered Furniture				
625.	Paper, Pulp, Paperboard	4	868,304	868,304	
626.	Paper, Pulp, Paperboard products, Molded Pulp Goods				
627.	Magazine, Newspaper Printing				
628.	Printing, Publishing				
629.	Wood, Furniture Unknown				
630.	**METAL, METAL PRODUCTS ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT & APPLIANCES**				
631.	Basic Iron and Steel				
632.	Basic Nonferrous Metals				
633.	Basic Metal Products	2	139,863	139,863	
634.	Machinery, Machine Shops	3	11,944	11,944	
635.	Electrical Equipment	1	283,049	283,049	
636.	Electrical & Electronic Appliance, Radio, T.V.	2	28,614	23,315	5,299
639.	Metal, Metal Products Unknown				
640.	**FOOD PROCESSING**				
641.	Slaughtering, Smoking	2	38,558	38,558	
642.	Dairy Product Manufacturing	1	23,583	23,583	
643.	Canning Fruits, Vegetables	1	1,680	1,680	
644.	Canning, Fish, Sea Foods	1	601,154	601,154	
645.	Grain Mill Products Manufacturing				
646.	Bakery Product Manufacturing				
647.	Sugar Factory				
648.	Cocoa, Chocolate Manufacturing, Candy				
649.	Food Processing Unknown	1	513,649	513,649	

STATEMENT III – Continued
CLASSIFICATION OF PROPERTIES DAMAGED BY FIRE for Year 1974

Class No.	CLASS OF PROPERTY	No. of Fires	Amount of $ Loss	Insurance $ Loss	Uninsured $ Loss
650.	**BEVERAGE, TOBACCO, SOAP, MARGARINE**				
651.	Distilling, Blending Spirits				
652.	Wines, Wineries				
653.	Breweries				
654.	Soft Drink Processing				
655.	Tobacco Products Manfacturing				
656.	Vegetable Oil, Fat, Soap Making				
659.	Beverage, Tobacco Unknown				
660.	**TEXTILES**				
661.	Cotton, Spinning, Weaving				
662.	Wood, Spinning, Weaving				
663.	Mixed Blanded Spinning, Weaving				
664.	Textile Finishing				
665.	Knitting Mill				
666.	Cordage, Tope, Twine Manufacturing				
667.	Floor Covering Manufacturing				
669.	Textiles, Unknown				
670.	**FOOTWEAR, WEARING APPAREL**				
671.	Footwear Manufacturing				
672.	Wearing Apparel Manufacturing		116,365	116,365	
673.	Made-Up Textile Good Manufacturing				
674.	Tanneries, Leather Finishing				
675.	Fur Products Manfacture				
676.	Leather Products Manufacturing				
677.	Rubber Products Manufacturing				
679.	Footwear, Wearing Apparel Unknown				
680.	**VEHICLES AND RELATED EQUIPMENT**				
681.	Shipbuilding and Repairing	1	385,119	270,000	115,119
682.	Boat Building and Repairing				
683.	Railway Equipment Manufacturing				
684.	Motor Vehicle Manufacturing				
685.	Bicycle Manufacturing				
686.	Aircraft and Rocket Manufacturing				
689.	Vehicles, Equipment Unknown				
690.	**MISCELLANEOUS**				
691.	Instrument Manufacturing				
692.	Photographic, Optical Goods				
693.	Watch and Clock Manufacturing				
694.	Precious Metal, Jewelry				
695.	Musical Instrument Manufacturing				
696.	Laundry and Dry Cleaning				
697.	Photographic Film Processing				
698.	Toy, Sporting Goods Manufacturing				
699.	Miscellaneous, Unknown				
700.	**INDUSTRIAL STORAGE PROPERTIES**				
710.	**AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTS**				
711.	Seeds, Grain Storage in Bulk	2	56,000	54,500	1,500
712.	Boxed Agricultural Products				
713.	Loose or Bagged Agricultural Products				
714.	Loose or Bailed Tobacco Storage				
715.	Livestock Storage				
716.	Agricultural Supply Storage				
719.	Agricultural Products Unknown				
720.	**TEXTILES, FIBRES, CLOTHING**				
721.	Baled Cotton				
722.	Baled Wool				
723.	Baled Silk or Synthetic Fibres				
724.	Bales Jute, Hemp, Flax				
725.	Cloth and Yarns				

STATEMENT III – Continued
CLASSIFICATION OF PROPERTIES DAMAGED BY FIRE for Year 1974

Class No.	CLASS OF PROPERTY	No. Of Fires	Amount of $ Loss	Insurance $ Loss	Uninsured $ Loss
726.	Wearing Apparel, Garments and Finished Textiles				
727.	Leather and Leather Products				
728.	Fur, Skin and Hair Products				
729.	Textiles, Fibres Unknown				
730.	**PROCESSED FOOD, BEVERAGE**				
731.	Packaged Foodstuffs				
732.	Canned, Bottle Food Or Soft Drinks				
733.	Loose or Bagged Processed Foods				
734.	Alcoholic Beverages				
735.	Cold Storage				
736.	Bulk Sugar				
737.	Bulk Flour or Starch				
738.	Tobacco				
739.	Processed Food Unknown				
740.	**FLAMMABLE LIQUIDS, GASES, PETROLEUM PRODUCTS**				
741.	Flammable Liquid Tanks		89,527	89,527	
742.	Packaged Petroleum Products				
743.	LP Gas Tanks				
744.	LP Gas Cylinders				
745.	Cryogenic Products				
746.	Missile and Rocket Fuels				
749.	Flammable Liquids Unknown				
750.	**WOOD, FURNITURE, PAPER & PRODUCTS**				
751.	Lumberyards, Building Material	2	26,409	26,409	
752.	Wood Products	3	198,741	197,741	1,000
753.	Furniture				
754.	Fibre Products				
755.	Rolled Paper, Newsprint				
756.	Paper and Paper Products				
757.	Felled Timber, Log Storage				
758.	Pulpwood Pile, Cordwood	1	91	91	
759.	Wood, Furniture, Unknown				
760.	**CHEMICALS, PLASTICS, PAINTS**				
761.	Basic Industrial Chemicals				
762.	Hazardous Chemicals				
763.	Plastics and Plastic Products				
764.	Fertilizers				
765.	Paints and Varnishes				
766.	Drugs, Cosmetics				
767.	Rubber, Rubber Products				
768.	Photographic Films				
769.	Chemicals, Plastics Unknown				
770.	**METAL PRODUCTS, MACHINERY, ELECTRICAL APPLIANCE**				
771.	Basic Metal Forms				
772.	Metal Parts				
773.	Hardware, includes storage of auto parts, tools etc.	1	1,139	1,139	
774.	Machinery				
775.	Electrical Appliances & Supplies				
776.	Finished Metal Products				
777.	Scrap and Junkyards				
779.	Metal Products Unknown				
780.	**VEHICLES**				
781.	Garage, Individual	8	17,272	10,667	6,605
782.	Garage, General Auto Parking	2	80,661	26,994	53,667
783.	Bus, Truck and Auto Fleets				
784.	Heavy Machine and Equipment	1	28,674	28,674	
785.	Marinas, Boat and Ship Storage				

STATEMENT III – Continued

CLASSIFICATION OF PROPERTIES DAMAGED BY FIRE for Year 1974

Class No.	CLASS OF PROPERTY	No. of Fires	Amount of $ Loss	Insurance $ Loss	Uninsured $ Loss
786.	Aircraft Hangars				
787.	Railway Storage				
788.	Fire Stations				
789.	Vehicles Unknown				
790.	**GENERAL ITEM STORAGE**				
791.	General Warehouse	4	65,804	50,804	15,000
792.	Bagged Cement, Lime				
793	Coal, Briquette, Charcoal				
794.	Freight Terminal				
795.	Glass, Pottery, Chinaware				
796.	Military Stores				
797.	Ice Storage				
798.	Wastepaper				
799.	General Item Storage Unknown				
800.	**SPECIAL**				
810.	**OUTDOOR PROPERTY**				
811.	Brush, Grass Fires				
812.	Dumps				
813.	Trees				
814.	Fences, Poles				
815.	Trash and Rubbish				
816.	Mail boxes				
817.	Oil Slick or Spillage				
818.	Forest, Standing Timber	1	600	600	
819.	Outdoor Property Unknown				
820.	**PIER, WHARF**				
821.	Bridge, Trestle, Overpass				
822.	Tunnel, Underpass				
828.	Pier, and Wharf	1	294,000	294,000	
829.	Pier, Wharf, Unknown				
830.	**UNDER CONSTRUCTION, DEMOLITION: VACANT**				
831.	Buildings Under Construction	4	98,275	98,275	
832.	Buildings Under Demolition				
833.	Construction, other than Buildings				
834.	Demolition, other than Buildings				
835.	Vacant Property				
836.	Unoccupied Property				
837.	Contractor's Sheds	2	7,415	7,415	
838.	Building Under Major Renovation				
839.	Under Construction Unknown				
840.	**WATERCRAFT**				
841.	Motor Craft				
842.	Vessel				
843.	Ship, Passenger				
844.	Ship, Tanker				
845.	Ship, Combat				
846.	Ship, Cargo				
847.	Non-Self Propelled Vessel, Barge, etc.				
848.	Commercial Fishing Vessel				
849.	Watercraft Unknown				
850.	**RAIL TRANSPORT VEHICLE AND EQUIPMENT**				
851.	Railway Car, Passenger				
852.	Railway Car, Passenger Sleeper				
853.	Railway Car, Freight				
854.	Locomotive, Engine				
855.	Self-Powered Car Trolley, Rapid Transit				
856.	Roadbed Maintenance Equipment				
857.	Railway Signalling and Switch				

STATEMENT III – Continued

CLASSIFICATION OF PROPERTIES DAMAGED BY FIRE for Year 1974

Class No.	CLASS OF PROPERTY	No. of Fires	Amount of $ Loss	Insurance $ Loss	Uninsured $ Loss
858.	Control Equipment				
859.	Railway Yard				
	Rail Transport Vehicle Unknown				
860.	**GROUND TRANSPORT VEHICLE**				
861.	Automobile, Taxi	5	2,884	1,384	1,500
862.	Bus, Trackless Trolley				
863.	Trucks, Compressed or LP Gas Tank				
864.	Truck, Flammable Liquid, Chemical Tank				
865.	Truck, General	2	15,985	15,785	200
866.	Motorcycle				
867.	Wagon, Non-Motorized Hauling Vehicle				
868.	Industrial or Commercial Trailer				
869.	Ground Transport Vehicle Unknown				
870.	**AIRCRAFT**				
871.	Personal Business Aircraft – Under 12,500 lbs.				
872.	Personal Business Aircraft – Over 12,500 lbs				
873.	Commercial Transport Aircraft – Fixed Wing				
874.	Commercial Transport Aircraft – Turbine Engine				
875.	Helicopter, Non-Military				
876.	Military Aircraft, Combat				
877.	Military Aircraft, Non-Combat, Cargo				
878.	Ground Effect Maching (Hovercraft)				
879.	Aircraft Unknown				
900.	**MISCELLANEOUS PROPERTIES**				
910.	**LABORATORIES**				
911.	Laboratory, Chemical, Medical				
912.	Laboratory, Physical				
913.	Laboratory, Personnel, Educational				
914.	Laboratory, Radioactive Material				
915.	Laboratory, Electrical, Electronic				
916.	Laboratory, Agricultural				
917.	Laboratory, General Research				
919.	Laboratories, Unknown				
920.	**FARM FACILITY**				
921.	Poultry, Egg Production	1	19,991	19,991	
922.	Cow and Cattle Production	1	7,134	6,634	500
923.	Storage Barn	2	12,700	12,700	
924.	Animal Barn, Cattle, Pigs, Etc.	11	86,114	56,236	29,878
925.	Crops, Orchards				
926.	Tobacco Curing Shed				
927.	Fruit, Vegetable Packing	16	448,215	406,458	41,757
928.	Silo				
929.	Farm Facility Unknown				
930.	**MISCELLANEOUS OUTBUILDINGS**				
931.	Shed, Implement Shed	14	63,213	36,831	26,382
932.	Privy				
933.	Toll Station or Booth				
934.	Awning Canopy				
935.	Shelter: – Storm and Weather				
936.	Shelter: – Bomb or Fallout				
937.	Conveyor				
939.	Miscellaneous Outbuildings Unknown				
940.	**UTILITY**				
941.	Electric Light and Power Generating Plant				

STATEMENT III – Continued

CLASSIFICATION OF PROPERTIES DAMAGED BY FIRE for Year 1974

Class No.	CLASS OF PROPERTY	No. of Fires	Amount of $ Loss	Insurance $ Loss	Uninsured $ Loss
942.	Electric Light and Power Distribution System				
943.	Gas Manufacturing Plant				
944.	Gas Distribution System				
945.	Heating Plant				
946.	Water Supply System				
947.	Sanitary Service, Sewers				
948.	Flammable Liquid Distribution System Pipeline				
949.	Utility Unknown				
950.	**CEMENT, GLASS, POTTERY MANUFACTURING**				
951.	Structural Clay Products, Bricks, Tiles etc.				
952.	Glass Manufacturing				
953.	Glass Container Manufacturing				
954.	Pottery, China, Earthenware	1	15,703	10,000	5,703
955.	Cement Manufacturing	1	7,637	7,637	
956.	Cement Batch Mixing Plant				
957.	Abrasives Manufacturing				
958.	Non-Metallic Mineral Product				
959.	Cement, Glass, Pottery Manufacturing Unknown				
960.	**MINING, QUARRYING**				
961.	Coal Mine				
962.	Iron Ore, Mining, Quarrying				
963.	Metal Ore Mine	1	3,900	3,900	
964.	Petroleum, Natural Gas Well				
965.	Stone, Slate, Clay, Gravel, Sand, Quarry or Pit	1	3,000		3,000
966.	Salt Mine, Quarry				
967.	Chemical, Fertilizer Mineral Mine				
968.	Non-Metallic Mineral Mine				
969.	Mine, Quarrying Unknown				
970.	**COMMUNICATIONS**				
971.	National Defence Sites				
972.	Radio, Radar Sites				
973.	Fire, Police Communications				
974.	Telephone Exchange				
976.	Weather Station				
977.	Lighthouse, Light Station				
979.	Communications Unknown				
980.	**NUCLEONICS**				
981.	Property in which radioactive material are handled in bulk				
982	Property in which radioactive material are handled in small quantities				
983.	Nuclear Power Producing Property				
984.	Nuclear Ordinance Property				
989.	Nucleonics Unknown				
990.	**MISCELLANEOUS**		118	118	
	TOTAL	1,129	15,387,764	13,039,824	2,347,940

TABLE NO. 4

SUMMARY OF FIRE LOSSES BY MAJOR CAUSES AND OCCUPANCIES IN NEW BRUNSWICK DURING YEAR 1974

ITEMS	ORIGINATING CAUSES	Assembly 100-199	Inst. 200-299	Res. 300-379	Bus. 400-499	Merc. 500-599	Ind. 600-699	Ind. Stor. Facilities 700-799	Special 800-879	Mis. 900-990	Total
10- 19	Heating Equipment	220,592		866,821	75	23,022	77,234	3,321	7,985	111,447	1,310,497
20- 29	Cooking Equipment	10,135		323,994					1,487		335,616
30- 39	Smoker's Material	33,086	227	282,816	25	76,530	1,363	1,292		1,838	397,177
40- 49	Electrical Distribution Equipment	727,128		1,275,518	2,900	303,461	402,939	67,949	15,000	213,380	3,008,275
50- 59	Electrical Appliance and Equipment			102,541		14,679	14,955			10,000	142,175
60- 69	Other Appliances and Equipment			9,811	127	21,063	116,365				147,366
70- 79	Open Flames	4,275		130,991		23,586	11,344	208,128		3,000	381,324
80- 89	Exposure	553,903	20,000	153,985	632,239	795,981	13,000	880	600	10,102	2,180,690
90- 99	Miscellaneous	657,379	5,108	1,841,217	68,244	565,595	2,487,072	90,006	390,511	296,629	6,401,761
100-109	Arson	35,781		385,475	9,155	37,897	124,953	61,021	2,076	10,868	667,226
110-119	Lightning	2,840	55	77,823						10,461	91,179
120-129	Petroleum Products			113,006		47,126	31,125	131,721	1,500		324,478
	TOTAL	2,245,119	25,390	5,563,998	712,765	1,908,940	3,280,350	564,318	419,159	667,725	15,387,764

TABEL NO. 5

SUMMARY OF FIRES IN NEW BRUNSWICK FOR YEARS 1972, 1973, 1974.

1972

Month	No. Fires	Property Loss	Insurance Loss	Uninsured Loss
January	94	$ 320,813	$ 241,017	$ 79,796
February	114	491,066	440,337	50,729
March	92	480,211	380,423	99,788
April	88	427,187	323,050	104,137
May	103	716,621	586,920	129,701
June	80	313,657	266,660	46,997
July	74	234,253	202,187	32,066
August	61	201,694	169,415	32,279
September	72	141,972	105,690	36,282
October	75	205,405	170,972	34,433
November	127	802,123	723,976	78,147
December	104	540,167	435,316	104,851
TOTALS	1,084	$4,875,169	$4,045,963	$829,206

1973

Month	No. Fires	Property Loss	Insurance Loss	Uninsured Loss
January	111	$1,094,175	$1,053,082	$ 41,093
February	66	162,658	136,645	26,013
March	103	563,619	520,628	42,991
April	75	671,047	645,349	25,698
May	50	581,661	514,783	66,878
June	69	303,379	230,461	72,918
July	63	577,598	442,442	135,156
August	60	370,457	282,900	87,557
September	75	557,431	386,211	171,220
October	78	1,596,899	1,450,280	146,619
November	185	2,026,903	1,876,722	150,181
December	171	1,085,907	974,467	111,440
TOTALS	1,107	$9,591,734	$8,513,970	$1,077,764

1974

Month	No. Fires	Property Loss	Insurance Loss	Uninsured Loss
January	114	$1,040,151	$ 634,732	$ 405,419
February	95	458,651	322,573	136,078
March	99	806,066	675,345	130,721
April	96	722,873	612,081	110,792
May	74	1,087,964	932,806	155,158
June	77	1,654,137	1,566,839	87,298
July	74	1,652,242	1,550,688	101,554
August	60	397,236	318,187	79,049
September	86	863,636	729,127	134,509
October	67	1,641,562	1,507,439	134,123
November	152	1,780,625	1,274,008	506,617
December	135	3,282,621	2,915,999	366,622
TOTALS	1,129	$15,387,764	$13,039,824	$2,347,940

TABLE NO. 6

COMPARATIVE LOSSES IN MUNICIPALITIES, 1974

MUNICIPALITY	Estimated Population (1973) Census)	Property Loss 1974	Per Capita Loss 1974
BATHURST	16,469	$ 258,877	$15.71
CAMPBELLTON	10,422	346,681	33.26
CARAQUET	3,825	48,417	12.66
CHATHAM	7,635	150,404	19.70
DALHOUSIE	6,420	76,323	11.89
DIEPPE	6,918	961	.14
EDMUNDSTON	13,243	348,058	$26.28
FREDERICTON	44,311	2,520,054	56.87
GRAND FALLS	6,195	142,618	23.02
HARTLAND	1,011	47,062	46.55
MILLTOWN – ST. STEPHEN	5,060	237,031	46.84
MONCTON	56,519	791,614	14.01
NEWCASTLE	6,654	500,391	75.20
OROMOCTO	11,462	73,736	6.43
RIVERVIEW	11,062	46,333	4.19
ROTHESAY	1,483	27,909	18.82
SAINT JOHN	87,783	2,214,825	25.23
SACKVILLE	3,276	5,598	1.71
ST. ANDREWS	1,738	601,154	345.89
ST. GEORGE	1,095		
ST. LEONARD	1,531	25,954	16.95
SHEDIAC	3,594	5,319	1.48
SHIPPEGAN	2,182	55,511	25.44
SUSSEX	4,018	111,808	27.83
TRACADIE	2,313	4,979	2.15
WOODSTOCK	5,058	84,333	16.67
Six N.B. Cities	228,747	6,480,109	$28.33
20 N.B. Towns	92,530	2,245,841	24.27
Rural (Includes Village See Table No. 1)	313,280	6,661,814	21.26
Provincial Per Capita Loss	634,557	$15,387,764	$24.25

TABLE NO. 7

FIRE LOSSES IN NEW BRUNSWICK FOR TEN YEARS, 1965-1974 Inclusive

Year	No. Fires	Property Loss	Insurance Loss
1965	1,747	$ 3,766,380	$ 3,052,958
1966	1,409	5,914,333	5,061,739
1967	1,193	3,476,562	2,627,141
1968	1,221	4,331,661	3,580,423
1969	1,280	4,153,419	3,527,074
1970	1,261	4, 433,527	3,679,196
1971	1,164	6,262,686	4,789,699
1972	1,084	4,875,169	4,045,963
1973	1,107	9,591,734	8,513,970
1974	1,129	15,387,764	13,039,824
TOTALS	12,595	$ 62,183,235	$ 51,919,957

CHIEF FIRES FOR THE YEAR 1974 – $50,000 AND OVER

DATE	LOCATION	Property Loss	Insured Loss	PRESUMED CAUSE
March 27/73	Pulp Mill, Newcastle, North. Co.	$ 426,337	426,337	Undetermined
June 12/73	Paper Mill, Dalhousie, Rest. Co.	69,335	69,335	Overheated Steam Pipes
August 22/73	Wharf, Saint John, St. John Co.	294,000	294,000	Undetermined
September 9/73	Shirt Factory, Near Grand Falls, Vic Co.	116,365	116,365	Iron Left Turned On
November 6/73	Bulk Plant, Sussex, Kings Co.	89,527	89,527	Careless Handling of Petroleum Products
December 17/73	Repair Garage, Val D'Amour, Rest. Co.	50,000	17,300	Spark from Payloader
December 29/73	Furniture Store & Apartments, Campbellton	80,955	79,302	Electrical Malfunction
January 1/74	Shipbuilding Plant, Chamcook, Char. Co.	385,119	270,000	Electrical Malfunction
January 4/74	Service Station & Exposures, Saint John	52,836	30,836	Explosion
January 11/74	Church & Exposures, St. Louis, Kent Co.	502,029	182,029	Electrical Malfunction
January 26/74	Public School, Chatham Head, North. Co.	232,072	38,000	Undetermined
January 31/74	Wood Products Factory, St. Stephen-Milltown	162,642	162,642	Spark From Welder
February 1/74	Co-Op Store, St. Raphael, Glou. Co.	102,000	102,000	Electrical Malfunction
February 2/74	Yard Goods Store & Apartments, Moncton	110,000	110,000	Undetermined
February 4/74	Laundromat, Moncton, West. Co.	54,604	51,604	Undetermined
February 8/74	Apartment Building, Saint John, St. John Co.	53,815	53,815	Arson
February 25/74	General Repair Shop, Saint John, St. John Co.	104,337	92,337	Undetermined
March 1/74	Church, Pointe Vert, Glou. Co.	120,687	75,687	Electrical Malfunction
March 9/74	Potato House, Price Road, Vic. Co.	94,825	94,825	Undetermined
March 19/74	Motel , Plumsweep, Kings Co.	106,800	78,400	Electrical Malfunction
March 19/74	Mercantile Stores & Apartments, Fredericton & Exposures	1,959,993	1,881,839	Electrical Malfunction
March 23/74	Electrical Manufacturing Plant, Edmundston	283,049	283,049	Undetermined
March 26/74	Potato House & Exposures, Drummond. Vic. Co.	70,374	70,374	Electrical Malfunction
March 27/74	Retail Drug Store, Moncton, West. Co.	113,470	113,470	Undetermined
April 4/74	Potato House, R.R.1, Grand Falls	62,466	62,466	Electrical Malfunction
April 24/74	Amusement Centre, Bathurst. Glou. Co.	83,402	83,402	Undetermined
June 12/74	Dwelling & Store, Four Roads. Glou. Co.	69,000	20,000	Undetermined
July 5/74	Church, Saint John, St. John Co.	76,600	76,600	Undetermined
July 7/74	Paper Mill, Saint John West., St. John Co.	350,000	350,000	Undetermined
July 22/74	Apartment Building Under Construction Moncton, West. Co.	89,600	89,600	Undetermined
July 31/74	High School, Saint John, St. John Co.	110,000	110,000	Oil Fired Furnace
August 26/74	Fish Processing Plant, St. Andrews	601,154	601,154	Spontaneous Combustion
August 28/74	Molasses Factory, Saint John	513,649	513,649	Undetermined
August 12/74	Potato House, Bath, Carleton Co.	85,358	69,350	Undetermined
October 9/74	Parish Hall, St. Isidore, Glou. Co.	50,674	40,000	Electrical Malfunction
October 12/74	Offices, Moncton, West. Co.	68,244	25,000	Undetermined
October 21/74	Saw Mill, Christopher Siding, Rest. Co.	103,000	103,000	Undetermined
November 20/74	Legion, Campbellton, Rest. Co.	126,284	83,204	Undetermined
November 27/74	Dwelling, Greenfield, Car. Co.	56,500	26,250	Fire Place
November 28/74	Apartment Building, Bathurst, Glou. Co.	119,000	119,000	Undetermined
December 9/74	Granary, St. Quentin, Rest. Co.	52,000	52,000	Electrical Malfunction
December 11/74	Metal Product Factory, Minto, Sunbury Co.	138,500	138,500	Undetermined
December 15/74	Retail Clothing Store, Fredericton	100,000	75,000	Undetermined
December 28/74	Dwelling, Old Springhill Road, York Co. Fredericton	58,378	53,000	Undetermined

TABLE NO. 9

Number of Petty Losses, cigarettes, scorches etc. occasioning damage to furniture, clothing and personal effects of $25.00 or less.

No. Fires	Property Loss	Insurance Loss
24	$ 509	$ 509

TABLE NO. 10

STATEMENT OF FATALITIES – 1974

ORIGINATING CAUSE	Men	Women	Children	Total
Smoking In Bed	4	2		6
Careless Smoking	8	4	2	14
Faulty Electrical Wiring			2	2
Overheated Grease	2	1	1	4
Wood Protruding From Wood-Burning Heater		1		1
Vehicle Overturning Catching Fire	2			2
Children Playing With Matches			1	1
Explosion	5			5
Faulty Oil Stove	1			1
Malfunction of Propane Gas Stove	1			1
Unknown	1			1
Overheated Electric Stove	1	1	4	6
TOTALS	25	9	10	44

STATEMENT OF INJURED – 1974

ORIGINATING CAUSE	Men	Women	Children	Total
Faulty Electrical Wiring	1	1		2
Careless Handling of Gasoline	2			2
Explosion	1			1
Smoking In Bed	1			1
Overheated Grease		1		1
Sparks Igniting Gasoline Fumes	1			1
TOTALS	6	2		8

TABLE NO. 11

REPORT OF INSPECTIONS MADE BY FIRE MARSHAL'S STAFF – 1974

COUNTY	Inspections	Re-Inspections	Investigations	Fire Marshal's Orders Served
ALBERT	18	8	2	–
CARLETON	54	11	8	1
CHARLOTTE	53	8	11	–
GLOUCESTER	164	29	6	–
KENT	58	21	8	–
KINGS	78	23	10	1
MADAWASKA	118	16	–	–
NORTHUMBERLAND	75	36	7	5
QUEENS	19	2	3	1
RESTIGOUCHE	164	27	–	–
SUNBURY	36	6	4	–
SAINT JOHN	104	43	72	4
VICTORIA	77	12	5	–
WESTMORLAND	156	56	25	1
YORK	148	26	12	4
TOTALS	1,322	324	173	17

PROSECUTIONS ENTERED DURING YEAR
CRIMINAL CODE

Charges Laid	51
Convictions	29
Dismissals	4
Withdrawn	13
Pending	5

FIRE PREVENTION ACT

Charged	Nil
Convicted	Nil
Fireworks control act (Charged and Convicted)	Nil

INSPECTION OF PUBLIC BUILDING, FIRE PREVENTION EDUCATION ACTIVITIES AND LIGHTNING ROD ACT ENFORCEMENT

Hospital Inspections	24
Plans of Buildings Examined	324
School Inspections	120
Theatre Inspections	13
Dance Hall Inspections	2
Boarding Homes for Children	83
Nursing Homes and Homes for Aged	76
Auxiliary Homes	38
Hotels and Motels	18
Church Inspections	14
Child Day Care Centres Inspected	26
Service Stations Inspected	69
Bulk Storage Plants Inspected	25
Licensed Liquor Premises Inspected	154
Fire Prevention Lectures	52
Travelling Training School Sessions	18
Number of Firemen Attending	289
Baby Sitting Courses	12
Number of Film Showings	357
Lightning Rod Inspections	98
Lightning Rod Licenses Issued	11
Fire Extinguisher Sales mens Licenses Issued	58
Coroners Inquests Involving Fire Deaths	4
Fire Department Equipment Survey	110
Fireworks Supervisors Courses Held	4

FIRE PROTECTION INCREASES

Rural Districts Organized	3
New Fire Departments Organized	8
New Pumpers and Vehicles Placed In Use	8
New Alarm Systems Installed (Public)	2